

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace paragraph [0001] with the following rewritten paragraph:

The present application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/020,581  
titled "Closure for a Container" filed on December 14, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. 6,691,901  
(which is incorporated by reference in its entirety). The present Application claims the  
benefit of priority, as available under 35 U.S.C. § 120, to U.S. Patent Application No.  
10/020,581 titled "Closure for a Container" filed on December 14, 2001, now U.S. Patent No.  
6,691,901 (which is incorporated by reference in its entirety).